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USIB-D-27.8/5
30 March 1976

UNITED STATES INTELLIGENCE BOARD

MEMORANDUM FOR HOLDERS OF USIB-D-27.8/5

SUBJECT : Implementation of the Metric System
of Units in Intelligence Community Reporting

REFERENCES : a. USIB-D-27.8/5, 8 March 1976
b. USIB-M-718, Secretary's Note

The attached memorandum from the Chairman of the
Metric Panel is circulated for the information of the Board.



Executive Secretary

Attachment

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MEMORANDUM FOR USIB PRINCIPALS

SUBJECT: Use of Newtons as Unit of Thrust

REFERENCE: USIB-D-27.8/5, 8 March 1976

In paragraph 3 of the referenced memorandum it is stated that the Weapons & Space Systems Intelligence Committee was considering the use of kilograms or metric tons rather than newtons as the unit of thrust. The Committee decided, however, to use the unit of newtons, thus the unit of thrust will not be considered one of the exceptions referred to in the referenced memorandum.


Chairman
Metric Panel

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